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QU'APPELLE PROGRESS.

Thursday, December 10, 1896.

THE WESTERN WORLD.

ITEMS SHORT AND INTERESTING.

A Resume of the Events of the Week—Prominent People, Their Sayings and Doings.

Haverty & Son, brewers, Vernon, B. C. have assigned.

The bank of British Columbia have opened a branch at Sandon.

A large saw mill at Trail, B. C., has been totally destroyed by fire.

Odanah municipality votes on adopting hail insurance on Dec. 15th.

An electric light plant and a system of waterworks are being put in at Sandon.

Vancouver has passed a by-law to extend the waterworks system of that city.

Nomination takes place in Saskatchewan on Dec. 12 and polling a week later.

Deep snow and cold weather threaten British Columbia ranchers with severe loss.

J. A. McLean, registrar of land titles at Calgary, N. W. T., is dead at the ripe age of 72.

The recent clean up on the Cariboo Hydraulic yielded a gold brick worth \$25,750.

C. J. Meikle, member for Birtle, has been sworn in as Manitoba's provincial secretary.

Rev. Alexander Grant, of Winnipeg, has been called to the First Baptist church, Ottawa.

A. C. Stewart, school teacher, was accidentally shot by a revolver he was handling in a store at Vancouver.

The patients and graduates of the Evans' Gold Cure establishment, Winnipeg, had a reunion and dinner on Thanksgiving day.

A Montreal syndicate has purchased the Roseland water and light plant and franchise. A complete system is shortly to be put in.

Mr. N. F. Davis, M. P., has entered suit for \$10,000 against Walter Scott, of the Regina Leader, for breach of contract and persistent libel.

His Honor Lieut. Governor Dowdney is visiting Kootenay, supposedly to be in connection with the immediate construction of the Columbia and Western railway.

John Ridgeway, a young man living near Rosser, narrowly escaped death by the unexpected discharge of a shotgun. His finger was shattered and face badly burned.

A French mining engineer has been sent to British Columbia by the French government to investigate the mining resources and so to protect the public from bogus stock.

Mr. John Allison, government home-sent inspector for the Winnipeg district, is dead. He had been ill for over two years, but was thought to have been improving when the end came.

Large quantities of halibut are being shipped from the Canadian fisheries on the coast across the continent, where a ready market is found. The shipments are all made by express over the C. P. R.

Notice appears of application to the Dominion parliament next session for power to build a line of railway from a point near Revelstoke, along the valley of the Columbia river to the junction at Canoe river.

Mr. Hayter Reed, assistant to the superintendent general of Indian affairs, has issued a circular drawing attention to the clause in the statute making it a misdemeanor for an Indian agent to take any part in politics.

The rural municipalities of Maple Ridge, Mission and Dowdney threaten to surrender their charters to the B. C. government. The Fraser river floods have reduced their populations, and caused widespread poverty among the taxpayers of these purely agricultural and sparsely settled districts.

Inspector Routledge, of the Northwest mounted police, has been elected for special patrol duty in the north. It is proposed to establish a dog train patrol, and three trains will be run. The trip will last several weeks, and complaints of Indian losses by reason of white traders putting out poison will be investigated.

The proposed transfer of the repair shops of the C. P. R. from Donald to Revelstoke, will mean a reduction of the population of the former town by at least one-half. The provincial government has also decided to remove its office to the river town, Golden, which also bids fair in the course of time to become a busy mining supply centre for the Kootenay.

Some idiot recently set a report going all over eastern Canada and the United Kingdom to the effect that 1500 Roseland farmers want wives. The home supply of eligible B. C. spinsters is, together with the number of those available in Washington and other border states ample to meet the present limited matrimonial occasions of Trail Creek and Cloan countries. Many of the miners too are Americans, and have left wives and sweethearts behind them.

Roseland is at last to have a stock exchange. One of the prime movers towards its establishment is Cohen, Barney Barnato's agent, who has large experience in such matters. One difficulty encountered by those identified with mining stocks has been the determining of exact stock quotations, it being necessary now for the brokers and others to gather the desired information as best they can. All this annoyance will be avoided by quotations determined at the exchange.

Still another suit has been taken out on account of the Point Ellice bridge disaster at Victoria, B. C. This time it is the city of Victoria that has made the move, the writ having been issued on behalf of the corporation against the Victoria Electric Railway and Light company, Consolidated Railway company and N. Farrel, claims damages arising out of the operation of the works of the defendant companies or one of them resulting in the collapse of the Point

Ellice bridge on May 24th. The damages are laid by the city at \$25,000.

Geo. Laforme, a packer, on his way to Revelstoke, B. C., with a pack train of 27 horses and mules, was compelled to shoot every one of them where they stood shivering and starving. Mr. Laforme and his men had reached a point 25 miles from Revelstoke when they encountered snow eighteen inches deep and frozen on the top. The men and horses could only advance at the rate of one mile a day, six horses dying in two days through hardship and lack of provisions and to save the poor brutes from a lingering death the rest of them were shot.

One of the greatest needs of Roseland at the present time is a large number of cottages or dwelling houses of average size. Notwithstanding the capacity of the lumber yards they are taxed to their limit to supply lumber for new buildings of various kinds now in course of erection. The supply is not equal to the demand. This is very significant considering the season, and it is very suggestive of what may be expected next spring. The demand for lumber will probably be better met when the R. d. Mountain road is completed, as material can then be shipped from points that are now available. Doubtless a great deal more building would be in progress if the supply of material was larger and more accurate.

WHY WEYLER RETURNED.

An Account of His Defeat Among the Hills of Pinar del Rio.

Col. Jos. Reyes, aide de camp of Maceo, was wounded and is en-route to New York for medical treatment. Despatches to the Junta say the fight in Rabi Hills of Pinar del Rio, is the most sanguinary battle of the war. It is claimed two thousand of Weyler's men were killed in two days, and twice that number wounded. Weyler went into the field with 35,000 men in three columns. He found Maceo entrenched in a crescent shaped range of hills. When at the foot of the hills, the Spaniards met with a withering fire, which cut gaps in their ranks. Maceo's men shot from behind rocks but gradually gave way before the Spaniards, who, encouraged by what they thought to be a victory, pursued them. Suddenly a deafening roar rent the air and a scene followed somewhat like the mine horror of Petersburg, during the civil war. Horses and men were blown high in the air, and fell to the earth, dead and mangled. A dynamite mine was touched off by John Linn, formerly of Jacksonville, Fla., Maceo's electrician. Maceo then let loose the dynamite guns, prepared by Linn, and more havoc was wrought.

In the mine explosion Col. Reyes says, Weyler lost 700 men, and there were killed 500 more in that charge. Besides 1500 were wounded. Next day, Maceo, knowing of a reserve force under Weyler, retreated to an even stronger position. There he was attacked by a column under Lieut. Echague, who was soundly thrashed and driven from the field, losing 800 men killed, besides 1,300 wounded. Next day, Maceo retreated again, manœuvring all the while to entrap Weyler into a field that had been honey-combed with dynamite. Meanwhile, however, Gen. Weyler, hearing of the danger of an uprising in Havana, because of the failure to crush Maceo, hastened back to that city.

Great Activity in Spanish Shipyards.

Great activity continues in Spanish ports, particularly in Cartagena, where the full available strength is now employed in fitting out six ironclads and three cruisers, which with the Glasgow torpedo boat destroyers, will make a powerful flying squadron. The Spanish government has accepted specifications, and has given an Elswick firm an order for a powerful battleship and a cruiser, but as no money whatever has come to hand in Newcastle, nothing has yet been done towards their construction. In case of need the cruiser could be ready in a year but it would take twice as long to finish the ironclad. The cruiser is designed for exceptional speed, and would be able to coal for 5,000 knots at twenty-three knots hourly.

HEALTH'S PARADISE.

Regained After Twenty Years' Torture That Dread Disease, Catarrh-Itis Geo. Taylor, of Scranton, Pa. Tells the World What Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder Has Done For Him.

I was a martyr to catarrh for twenty years—tried every known remedy, but got little or no relief. Was troubled with constant dripping in the throat, terrible pain in my head, and my breath was very offensive. I was induced to give Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder a trial, and the result was magical. The first application cleared my head instantly, I persisted in its use, and to-day I am a cured man, and it affords me pleasure to lend my testimony.

"What do you wish, madam?" said the election officer to Mrs. Tenspot. "You have already voted once to-day. You voted before noon, you know." "Oh, yes, I know that," replied the votress, "but I want to change my ballot."

BETWEEN LIFE AND DEATH.

For 25 Years, Says J. D. Stoddard of Ashbury Park, N. J., and Two Bottles of Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart Restored the Lost Treasure.

For twenty-five years I have been a great sufferer from heart disease, palpitation, dizziness and severe headaches. I saw Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart advertised, and determined to try it. Two bottles have done wonders for me. The dizziness and palpitation are gone, the headaches have disappeared. I never cease telling my friends the wonderful benefit this great cure has been to me, and I cheerfully recommend it anywhere and everywhere.

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Dr. Agnew's Ointment will cure all cases of itching piles in from three to six nights. One application brings comfort. For blind and bleeding piles it is perfect. Also cures Tetter, Salt Rheum, Eczema, Barber's Itch and all eruptions of the skin. 25 cents.

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From the Newmarket Advertiser.

We suppose that there is not a resident of Newmarket who does not know Mr. J. A. Moffatt, who does not know of his years of suffering and who has not heard of his release from a life of helplessness and pain through the medium of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Indeed we doubt if in the annals of medicine there is a more remarkable restoration than has been accomplished in Mr. Moffatt's case, and he deems it his duty to mankind to make the facts known through the Advertiser.

Ten years ago Mr. Moffatt was working in the Newmarket Hat Factory. Through the influence of the damp room, and possibly some carelessness in regard to his health, he was attacked with a severe cold which eventually settled in his limbs. For some years he was an almost constant sufferer from rheumatic pains and spent much money in treatment for the trouble, but with no result beyond an occasional temporary release from pain. Finally to make matters worse he was attacked with malaria and rheumatic fever. He was then forced to go to the Toronto general hospital when it was found that he was afflicted with orthitis (wry neck). During the first six months in the hospital he was under the treatment of the staff electrician, but the powers of electricity entirely failed, and after a consultation of physicians it was deemed advisable to perform an operation. Six weeks later a second operation was performed. The operations proved successful only in so far as they afforded temporary relief. He remained in the hospital from November, 1890, till



January, 1892, and with all the modern remedies and appliances known to the staff of that well equipped institution no permanent relief could be obtained. He was then advised to go home, partly in the hope that the change might prove beneficial, but he constantly grew worse, and in March, 1895, was again forced to take to his bed, and those who knew of his condition did not believe he had long to live. At this time every joint in his body was swollen and distorted, and he suffered the most excruciating agony. If a person walked across his bedroom it intensified the pain as though he was being pierced and torn with knives, and if he tried to move he would scream aloud with pain. In this state of hopeless suffering he remained bedfast for eighteen months, all the while using all manner of medicine from which relief might be hoped for. Then he was put under the treatment of a celebrated Toronto specialist with no better result. After the last experiment failed, he determined to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, at the same time discontinuing all other treatment. At the end of three months there was a very noticeable improvement in his condition, and so much so that his mother thought he could be lifted outside. He was still so weak, however, that he was only able to remain up a few minutes as before. When taken back to bed he felt a sudden tingling sensation going up from his toes and through his joints and spine. The next morning when he awoke the pain had left the body and he sat up in the arms, and then for some weeks the pain fitted from place to place in the arms and then disappeared, and he has not had a particle of pain since. All this time he was taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and slowly but surely regained his strength. Then an invalid's chair was procured, and he was wheeled out, eventually he was able to wheel himself about. The continued use of the Pink Pills constantly added to his strength, and then his chair was discarded for crutches, and then the crutches for a cane. At this time (Sept. 1895) Mr. Moffatt had so recovered that he was a frequent contributor to the columns of the Advertiser and procuring a horse and buggy he was engaged as local reporter for the paper. The once utterly helpless invalid is now able to go about, and to get in and out of his buggy without any assistance, and is at his post of duty whenever called upon.

Thus we find that after years of suffering and helplessness Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have proved successful after all other remedies and the best of medical treatment had failed. With such marvellous cures as this to its credit it is no wonder that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is the most popular medicine with all classes throughout the land, and this case certainly justifies the claim put forth on its behalf that "cures when other medicines fail."

An Exciting Experience.

Engineer Lawrie, of the Northern Pacific, and his fireman, had a nerve testing experience a few days ago. They were opening the road from Marquette to Miami. Two engines were attached to the engine, and Engineer Lawrie was in the front engine. After they had gone through a difficult cut the front trucks of the plow gave way and the plow fell to the track. The engines were going rapidly, and it was surprising that the plow remained on the track. As it was a piece of the machinery pierced the boiler and let all the steam escape. Lawrie sounded his whistle to warn the engineer behind, who was pushing the first engine, to slow down, but the steam ran out. Flying steam and snow made it impossible for the man behind to see the dangerous condition of Lawrie and his fireman for some time. Before the train was stopped it had gone over a mile. All the time the plow slid along the rails. Had it run off a wreck would have been the result.

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THE NEWS OF THE DAY.

CONDENSED FOR BUSY PEOPLE.

Short and Interesting Paragraphs that Treat of Men and Things in a General Way.

The assessment for Toronto is \$125,935.

Archbishop Fabre, of Montreal, is seriously ill with jaundice.

Montreal policemen over sixty years of age are to be pensioned.

The intense cold has seriously interfered with navigation at Port Arthur.

Two Canadians have been arrested in Cuba for taking part in the rebellion.

Senator McMillan has been chosen as Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick.

Ontario brewers and distillers are preparing to fight the prohibition plebiscite and license laws.

Prof. Callender, of McGill, has obtained a good photograph of the lungs with the aid of an X-ray.

It is said that Chief Justice Strong will be Canada's representative on the judicial committee of the privy council.

It is reported that Premier Laurier and Sir Richard Cartwright will go to England next year to confer with Hon. Jos. Chamberlain.

C. P. E. traffic receipts for October show a decrease of \$170,000 from those of same month last year, but the first ten months of 1906 show an increase of \$722,881 over same period of last year.

At the Central Experimental farm, Ottawa, a series of experiments has been started in feeding cattle for beef.

It is proposed to test the fattening qualities of several classes of fodder, and the result will be published for the information of stock raisers.

The wife of Jas. Reid, a Grand Trunk engineer, residing in Belmont, went to the cellar, leaving a lamp on the stairs.

The children are supposed to have knocked it over on the mother, who was so badly burned that she died after three hours of suffering.

Miss Ida Shaw, a young woman of Halifax, N. S., who in her wedding attire waited the coming of Chas. Ferris her husband-elect, who came not, and who now refuses to marry her, has commenced suit for breach of promise, claiming five thousand dollars damages.

Donald Currie, an old and highly respected resident of Egmont to ship, Ont., has been buried alive in a well on his premises. He descended 20 feet into the well to inspect some repairs to the wall when the earth caved in, and when the body was recovered some hours after, life was extinct.

Application is made to the department of marine and fisheries for a supply of salmon eggs to be sent to Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands. The department will accede to the request by sending a shipment from the hatchery at New Westminster. It appears that there are many rivers and streams in the Sandwich Islands in which it is thought salmon will thrive well.

Dr. McPhail, professor of bacteriology at Bishop's College, has been authorized by the minister of marine and fisheries to proceed to England to complete his researches in the famous pathological laboratory of Lister, into the matter of the blackening of lobsters.

Mr. Davies is satisfied with Prof. McPhail's discovery of the causes of blackening and the remedy therefore, but before announcing it to the public, he has thought it well to encourage McPhail to prosecute his researches to the further.

Representations are being made to the postmaster-general, by certain newspaper proprietors in favor of the re-imposition of postage rates on newspapers sent through the mails from the office of publication. The ground on which this is urged is that free postage turns legitimate newspaper business, by encouraging fake advertising schemes. The minister is disposed to charge a postage of one cent per pound on newspapers, but allowing free transmission through the mails within the country of publication. This latter concession would help the country press.

PECULIAR TREATMENT.

Remarkable Success Follows The Use of a Water-Bed For a Paralyzed Woman.

A unique case in the annals of medical doings is that of Mrs. Taylor Young, of Morehead, Ky., who has been for weeks confined to a bed of water. Her peculiar trouble and the remarkable treatment are attracting wide attention in the medical world.

At first the treatment accorded Mrs. Young was regarded with incredulous smiles by many of the older members of the profession, and the physician was freely made that she could not survive under the existing conditions.

As the days merged into weeks and the weeks into months wonder took the place of scoffing, and the daring and far seeing physicians who adopted the novel method of treatment are now the recipients of the congratulations of their colleagues.

On the day the accident occurred, Mr. Young had returned home from a trip through the country, and, handing his revolver to his wife, told her to clean it, and she had performed many times before. While she was in the act of doing so the weapon discharged and the bullet struck the unfortunate woman squarely in the chest.

The distracted husband after spending a brief period over her prostrate form in the vain effort to staunch the blood, cried for help, when quickly came from a score of neighbors. The best medical skill that Morehead and the surrounding country could furnish was summoned to the bedside of the injured woman.

When these men of science held out no hope to the grief-stricken husband and distracted parents, other cities were drawn upon for their best medical skill. But the verdict was the same—nothing but death could effect the young woman's release from her agony, and science was helpless.

The ball had penetrated her chest, and while barely missing the lungs and the descending portion of the aorta, had certainly lodged against the spine. The latter theory was borne out by the fact that the poor woman was completely paralyzed, the various organs refusing their usual functions.

In this dilemma, with nothing to lose

and everything to gain, the husband and the aged father of the young woman turned their eyes to the medical authorities in Cincinnati's leading hospital.

By the Röntgen process the bullet was located, and finally disclosed, but it was found that the wound was so sensitive and the patient's condition so precarious that even rubber beds irritated her.

Finally a water bed was suggested and as a result a trough was built in the patient's room. This trough is much like that used by bakers in kneading their bread, except probably that it is somewhat larger, being 7 feet long, 4 feet wide and 4 feet deep. It is zinc-lined throughout and perfectly watertight.

At the lower end is a hole, in which a spout is inserted, and to which a hose is connected, permitting a constant draining. As the water flows out of this end a hose at the other furnishes a new supply in the same ratio, so that the volume of water in the trough is never increased nor diminished.

A steam coil keeps the water constantly at a temperature of 98 degrees, a most important factor in the treatment of the case. Across the top of the trough heavy strips of canvas are fastened, one at the head and two lower down, where the back and limbs may rest. At the bottom of the trough rests a rubber bed, gently buoyed up by the water and offering just enough resistance to the body to sustain it lightly.

In this strange bed, under the constant surveillance of a nurse, Mrs. Young has passed her days and nights since a few days after the operation, last August. She enjoys a good appetite, her temperature is almost normal, and only minimum doses of morphine are now given her to allay her sufferings.

HOPEFUL MESSAGE FOR CUBANS.

Gen. Weyler Said to Have Been Outwitted by the Insurgents.

Cubans in Philadelphia are specially elated over the receipt of the message from Antonio Maceo, for they were fearful of the positions occupied by the Cuban forces during the past month or six weeks. The bearer of the message, whose name is not given by Cuban leaders, was a witness to the fight at Artemisa, which was first reported as a great Spanish victory and later "a drawn battle."

"It was a splendid fight," said the Cuban officer, "and gave great hope and courage to the entire army. Maceo did not use his entire force against the Spaniards, but the latter who numbered between 6,000 and 8,000, were driven back from the foothills and many of them killed upon the plateau before the town. As night came on, Maceo ordered two batteries to the brow of the hill and shelled the town. Fires began in various places in the city and the effect of the cannonading was wonderful. Two dynamite guns did fearful work, some of which I had chance to witness a few days ago when I passed through the city on my way to Havana. Artemisa was almost destroyed. The walls of the city were torn apart and many of the big houses were completely demolished. I learned that many were killed during the four hours bombardment. The loss of the enemy in the city alone was in the neighborhood of 150, according to those with whom I talked while my brief stay lasted."

General Weyler will probably return to Pinar del Rio at once. Maceo has partially divided and subdivided his forces to avoid an engagement, and his main forces are, already, days ago, in the western part of the province of Pinar del Rio, having passed south by Candelaria. General Weyler appears, by his own statement, to have thought that the rebels' main body were still at Rubi and Bruno. It happened that Maceo was able to go to Weyler's rear after the first day of his operations, leaving some forces to meet General Munoz and Weyler. Meanwhile he passed by the front and right hand from the road from Regalado to Cayajobos, from thence south to Candelaria to the northwest capital of Pinar del Rio, where it is reported, he awaits and has a great supply of victuals, cattle and some ammunition. Maceo's tactics are not to give battle, as he thinks he will be able to give occupation to the Spanish army without any results being achieved by the troops.

Captain General Weyler has issued orders to the farmers in the province of Pinar del Rio, Havana and Matanzas to carry the new crops of corn to the garisoned towns, and the railroad officials have been instructed to provide the farmers with cars and means with which to facilitate transportation. The corn will be sold to the commander of the Spanish columns, and will be used for military purposes. These commanders may buy the corn at current prices or may admit it on deposit. After Dec. 20 all corn must be stored on the farms or elsewhere without the knowledge and consent of the military commanders will be considered contraband.

Is Getting Young Again.

A remarkable case of second childhood exists in the little Michigan village of Cooperville, where resides John Adams. Many instances of old people regaining their eyesight, and a few of cutting teeth, have been reported, but they are rare. It has remained for John Adams, a hardy Wolverine, to establish a new and unparalleled record.

Adams, when he was 50 years old, could scarcely see, he was bald, and his teeth were all gone. He can now see as well as he ever could, his hair has grown out again. The new hair is dark brown, his eyes are clear, and at a first glimpse he looks like a man of about 40 years old.

But a little closer look makes him seem even older than he really is, although he is now nearly 90. The brown hair and bright eyes seem to emphasize the wrinkles, but his skin looks like parchment. He now has an idea that a new skin will come on and the wrinkles will disappear. Mr. Adams is in excellent health and spirits, and confidently believes that he will live a long time yet.

A More Feasible Project.

A strong company, consisting of several leading Winnipeggers, is now being formed to open up the route in Wabegon, but not by means of electric railways. Their plan is to build two trunks of about eight miles distance each, and to run three steamers connecting with these roads. By this line Fort Frances is only about eighty miles distant from Wabegon, whereas, by any electric line over double that distance would have to be covered. The local company have been promised the heavy cooperation of the C. P. R. in their plan, and expect shortly to have the route open.

THE NEWS IN GENERAL.

The Incidents of the World Around us Briefly Portrayed.

The cold wave has reached Texas and other southern states.

A boy was frozen to death near Ida, Minn., in the recent blizzard.

Sir John Monson has been appointed British ambassador to France.

The Commercial Cable and Postal Telegraph companies have amalgamated.

Terrible details are coming to light of suffering in Dakota from the recent blizzard.

More rain has fallen in India, and no fears are entertained of a famine in that country.

A training school for officers of the Salvation Army is to be established in Minneapolis.

M. D'Enjoy, a French traveller, claims to have discovered the "missing link," in Indo-China.

The Liberal party in Great Britain will reorganize under the leadership of Sir William Vernon Hartcourt.

An earthquake occurred at Cairo, Ill., which, although it shook dishes and furniture has done no perceptible damage.

Reports come from Cuba of horrible outrages perpetrated by Spanish soldiers on the natives, in an endeavor to starve out the rebels.

The government of South Africa have adopted an immigration restriction bill, similar to the one now in force in the United States.

The police of New York city need their clubs freely thereby saving expert slaters from being mobbed by a crowd of 1,500 persons.

Sir Donald Smith, Canadian high commissioner, presided at the annual dinner of the Canada Club, held at London, Eng., a few days ago.

An elevator and 100,000 bushels of wheat were recently destroyed by fire at St. Paul, Minn. Loss on the building \$20,000; insurance, \$25,500; on grain, \$20,000; insurance, \$19,000.

A very destructive flood has taken place at Chippewa Falls, Wis., caused by an ice gorge forming across the Chippewa river. Many arms and farm buildings are under water and much property is destroyed.

It is reported on good authority that Grant Brantley, of Deep Eys, Minn., has sold his patent engine to the Adams syndicate, composed of Englishmen, for \$1,500,000, and that the cash is now in his possession.

The recent prize fight at San Francisco, Cal., between the heavy weight pugilists, Fitzsimmons and Sharkey, was witnessed by twenty thousand people, many of them being women. The referee awarded the victory to Sharkey as the result of a foul.

Dr. Parkhurst, of New York, recently preached a sermon denouncing bargain counters and blood-sucking trusts. He said the grinding corporation is guilty of theft and murder. The goods sold at bargain counters grind down the working women who make them.

President Cooper, of the California Fruit growers association, urged, at the annual convention of that body, the importation of more lady bugs from Australia to destroy the insect pest. He claims that the annual loss from this source in the U. S. is over \$3,000,000.

During the coming session of the Missouri legislature an attempt will be made to pass a law putting the game of football on the same plane as prizefighting, which is felony in Missouri. Senator Young declares that if such a law is enacted he will favor the repeal of the law against prizefighting.

THE DAUPHIN ROAD.

A Satisfactory Report by Mr. Macdonnell, M. P.

Mr. J. A. Macdonnell, M. P., has just returned to Winnipeg from a trip of inspection on behalf of the provincial government of the Dauphin railway. In conversation with a Free Press reporter the other day, he spoke very highly of the new road, which is now nearly finished. The contractors have fulfilled their duty with commendable energy, giving the province better value than they were called upon to do. The road is now ready for operation, and only awaits the final inspection of the Dominion government. The equipment is thoroughly up to date, the contractors having availed themselves of all modern improvements. The contractors are now running a passenger car on their construction train for the accommodation of those travelling to and from the Dauphin station. Houses have been constructed about every eighteen miles. They are commodious and comfortable and of considerable architectural beauty. Once the road is in operation the public will have no reason to complain that their personal convenience has not been considered by the company. The town of Dauphin is developing very rapidly and already presents the appearance of a good many towns on the Northwestern branch and were it not for the new appearance of the buildings one could easily believe it was a town of ten years growth. There is ample hotel accommodation as well as strong opposition in all lines of trade. The farming population are very hopeful and confident and have made great preparation for a heavier crop of wheat next season. They are strongly of the opinion that they occupy the agricultural paradise of Manitoba.—Free Press.

A PRISON SCANDAL.

Respectable Philadelphia's Inhumanity—Cells in Dirty State.

A sensational investigation of the condition of prisoners in the eastern penitentiary of Philadelphia, will probably result from the application for investigation into the mental condition of a prisoner, alleged to have become insane since commitment. Judge Gordon announced he had visited the prison, became convinced of the man's insanity, but individual efforts have been made to transfer to an asylum proved fruitless, the judge appointed a committee of expert physicians to investigate. The testimony of these experts, when heard in court, was to the effect, not only that other prisoners are in a similar condition, one of

them, who is under life sentence for murder, being violent, but there is no insane department in the prison and the unfortunate are confined in ordinary cells.

Many in these cells, it was sworn, were in a filthy state, though in some instances, this was attributable to the habits of the prisoners. At the conclusion of the testimony, Judge Gordon promptly ordered the removal of the patients in question to Norristown insane asylum and declared his intention to submit the matter to the state legislature.

DISCOVERED AT LAST.

Mr. D'Enjoy, a French Traveller has Found the Missing Link.

The sensational news comes to a waiting world on the authority of a French traveller, that "the missing link" has been discovered, and alive. Paul D'Enjoy, an explorer, who has been investigating a little known region in Indo-China, on the frontier of Annam, is the discoverer. He has been travelling in a mountainous district, in about 12 degrees N. lat. and 104 degrees E. long. It is a region of dense forests, in which lurk savage races. Approach is often dangerous. Among them is a tribe called the Moi. One day as D'Enjoy was going through the woods with a strong band of followers, he came upon a small group of Moi, who instantly took to flight with the exception of one individual who was gathering honeycomb in a tall tree.

When he saw the travellers he came down the trunk with his feet flat to the bark, apparently not using his tail, and attempted to escape, but they had surrounded the tree, and after a short struggle effected his capture. Some of the party understood the Moi language, for D'Enjoy tells us that the will man gave them a me information about his people, though interrupting his discourse with sobs and howls. All his race, he said, formerly possessed tails, but they are no longer universal appendages because any of the tribe had ceased to be of use. He told of through into marriage, especially in the case of those dwelling on the outskirts of the country, with tailless tribes. The wild man's companions had escaped, but they had left behind them, in a long tunnel shaped but built of dried logs, some polished stones, ambo pipes, copper bracelets and bead collars. These were said to be obtained from their Annamese neighbors, with whom they occasionally trade, though they are dangerous customers and have no scruple at knocking a creditor on the head by way of payment. They are said to burn their dead and bury the ashes in bamboo pots, differing in this respect from their Chinese and other neighbors. The prisoner was extremely savage in aspect, and that is the character of the race. The hair is exceptionally rough, sticking out like spurs of coals, and the sun-browned people treat them as savages, beasts and dogs, so that they are gradually being exterminated. Mr. D'Enjoy's account is disappointing in details. He does not even describe the creature's tail, nor tell his height and color and features. He only adds that many of the race have peculiarly shaped ankle bones. The one he captured, he said, the coolie in charge of him and escaped.

HIGHER THAN NIAGARA.

Several Minnesota Men Discover a Wonderful Cataract.

The following letter has been received from S. A. Thompson at Santa Catalina, Venezuela:

"During the exploration of the concession of the Orinoco company, headed by Donald Grant and other Minnesota men, a trail was cut to the Imataca mountains starting from this point, a village of 150 inhabitants. The duties assigned to some members of the party kept them open or close to the Orinoco until a few weeks ago, when two of us, Leslie O. Bart, of Litchfield, Minn., and myself of Duluth found time to make an excursion into the mountains.

"Pushing on beyond the point reached by the other party, we heard from the top of a mountain a sound which at first we thought to be thunder, but afterwards decided that it must come from a waterfall of considerable magnitude. Working in the general direction of the sound over a difficult trail, we came at noon on Thursday, Oct. 15, to a large river, and discovered what must rank as one of the greatest waterfalls in the world.

"The river bursts diagonally through an almost perpendicular cliff, which is estimated to be about 100 feet in height, breaks into half a dozen separate streams, which divide and subdivide, spreading out into broad fan-like expansions, and twists about in such a curious corkscrew fashion that the water at the bottom of the falls flows in exactly the opposite direction from the course it holds when it first comes into view.

"By clinging to bushes and going up the giant creepers hand over hand, we climbed up the cliff until the noreid indicated an elevation of more than five hundred feet, but it was impossible to reach the top and learn how much higher the falls are."

A Runaway Train.

A freight train of thirty cars loaded with lumber and shingles going west, got beyond control on the heavy grade east of Mendenhall near Helena, Montana, on the Northern Pacific road. The other evening, and runaway. Twenty-six cars were scattered along a distance of eight miles, where the engine left the track. Ed. Jarbeau, head brakeman, was thrown down an embankment with several cars and killed. Fireman Young jumped, but received a broken collar bone, severe scalp wounds and other injuries. Engineer John Flynn had his leg broken, his side internal injuries. Conductor John McBeane had a thigh broken, his back wrenched, and shoulder thrown out of joint. It is a worst wreck ever known to the Northern Pacific railway in point of damage to the track and rolling stock.

An Ingenious Swindler.

Here is one way of getting employment. Emanuel Dunn, who was boarding at the Duke of Cambridge hotel, Toronto was in the police court on charge of fraud. Dunn is a stonemason by trade. It is claimed that he wrote a letter to a party in Rockland to which was signed the name of Duncan Mayor, contractor, stating that there was any amount of work in Toronto. Several men threw up their work there and came to the city, to find that they had been deceived. In the meantime, Dunn, it is said, went to Rockland and procured employment. Dunn was released on \$200 bail.

A VALUABLE INHERITANCE.

The Descendants of a U. E. Loyalist Claim Much Valuable Property in New York.

In 1778 a man named Alex. Montgomery owned considerable property in New York city and Brooklyn. Montgomery was a loyalist, and his position in New York becoming uncomfortable he went to Canada to reside, where a few years later, he died. Before leaving, desiring to raise as much money as possible and to leave his affairs in as satisfactory a condition as the unsettled state of the country would permit, he gave 99 year leases of small parcels of land to different people. During all these years a tradition has been current in his family to the effect that some day a valuable inheritance in New York would revert to the descendants of Alexander Montgomery.

About a year ago several members of the Montgomery family in Canada met together and started to trace this tradition to its origin. The result of their labors was startling. It was ascertained by word of mouth from one ancestor descendant to another that down in New York city an inheritance so valuable that the claims of the heirs of Aneke Jane and other similar claims paled into insignificance. A portion of the property claimed to be discovered is said to be located in Greenwood cemetery. The value of this property to day by a conservative estimate is placed at least \$200,000 by the enthusiastic claimant.

There is beside, other real estate in Brooklyn and the suburbs of the metropolis. An action must be begun soon for the 99 years' leases expired in 1877 and if steps be not taken within 20 years from that date the heirs are stopped from setting up their claims by the statute of limitations. The only way to begin an action of this kind would be by ejectment proceedings. This would necessitate serving papers in this case on thousands of people.

PROTECTED BY BRITIAN.

Foreign Powers Cannot Outrage British Subjects With Impunity.

That the wheels of British diplomatic circles are quickly set when British subjects are outraged by foreign powers, is evidenced by a case in which all residents of the province of British Columbia are interested. The first intimation came a few days since in a telegram to Premier Turner from a well-known merchant in Vancouver, who states that his brothers-in-law, both residents of British Columbia, had been arrested by the Spanish in Cuba, wrongfully imprisoned, and sentenced to death. He asked that the government of British Columbia take immediate action on their behalf, and the premier at once telegraphed the agent-general, Sir Donald Smith, in London, Eng., asking that he communicate with the foreign office, and urge prompt enquiry and protection for the British Columbians. At the same time, Lieutenant-Governor Dwyer cabled to the secretary of state, asking him to look into the case. Immediately replies were received, both from the agent-general and secretary of state. The former, in fact, cabled within eighteen hours a tor the dispatch of the premier's message to him, stating that the desired steps had been taken, and the foreign office would insure the safety of Messrs. Beattie and all other British subjects in Cuba.

The Cuban Campaign.

A dispatch from Havana says: General Foyé engaged the insurgents near San Jose de Rozas Lajas and repulsed them with a loss of thirty-nine killed, Generals Linariz and Colonel Somoza had skirmishes with the enemy in which the latter were routed.

Weyler's threats that he would starve out the insurgents seems likely to be carried out as from all reports from Mariel where General Weyler is now, work of destruction is being carried out. The Spanish army sweeps everything before it killing beasts that it cannot use, burning cane fields and small stores with provisions and leaving a wide waste of ruin and desolation.

People vainly implore Weyler to leave provisions enough to keep them alive, but his brutal officers refuse with oaths and insulting words if not with force. Over 300 refugees have come into Mariel since Weyler went out this last time, all giving the same story of rapine, plunder and murder. A Spanish guerrilla captain named Colzaro, is accused of murdering over a hundred persons in the valleys 100 miles south of Mariel during the latter part of November. In one instance he is accused of confining a number of women and girls in a church and after they had been repeatedly abused and maltreated by his men, of burning the building with them in it. Many other outrages as horrible as these are charged to him and his company.

29 Persons Killed.

A dispatch from Baroda, India, capital of the state of that name, gives the details of a fatal accident which recently occurred there. The Earl of Elgin, viceroy of India, arrived at Baroda on a visit to the Gaikwar, or native ruler of the State. The inhabitants turned out en masse to welcome the viceroy and to see a display of fireworks in his honor. The display was given in the park of the Gaikwar, which was open to the public. Everything passed off without incident until the end of the ceremony. Then the crowd made a rush for the park gates, which were so narrow that they soon became jammed with people. Those behind, not knowing the cause of the delay at the exit, pressed forward until the crush at the gates was terrific. A number of persons were squeezed to death, while others who lost their footing in the surging mass of humanity, had the life trampled out of them or died from suffocation. When the crowd was finally cleared away, it was found that 29 persons had been killed and 30 more or less seriously injured.

Fatal Accident at Jackfish Bay.

Battleford advises state that a shooting accident occurred at the north end of Jackfish Lake, ten miles from Pomeroy, by which a young woman named Celestine Warentsch, aged about 17 years, was instantly killed. Deceased and her mother lived in the house with the family of Chas. Trotter. On the morning of the day in question they were preparing to move, for which purpose the things had all been carried out of doors, and some of the family were engaged in loading the rig, while young Trotter was away for the horses. In the course of work recessed was asked if she had her mother's blankets to which she replied that she would get them. They were at the time lying beside the door, and on them were a rifle and a shot gun, both of which

turned out to be loaded. She took hold of the rifle, which went off, sending the bullet through her body from a point a little to the left of the medial line and entering to the right of the spine and below the shoulder blade. Her mother rushed out in time to see deceased fall, but with the exception of giving three gasps showed no signs of life. Dr. Pare was satisfied that it was a case of purely accidental shooting and that no further investigation was necessary and gave an order for her burial.

The Dauphin Road.

The following notice appears in the latest Canadian Gazette: "Take notice that application will be made by the Lake Manitoba Railway and Canal company to the parliament of Canada, at its next session, for an act to confirm certain agreements with the Manitoba government, and the Manitoba and Northwest Railway company, and also to confirm certain transfers of the government mortgage, and to confirm certain mortgages made by the company and the bond issue thereof, and to empower the company to issue land grant and second mortgage bonds and preference stock, and also empowering the company to extend its railway to the River Saskatchewan, and for other purposes."

Dublin—The members tell me that Faday in one of the best members of the Rockhill Athletic Association. Wablin—Why, he's no athlete! Dublin—That's true, but then, he pays his dues regularly."

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD.

TIME TABLE—Taking effect on Sunday May 3, 1906.

MAIN LINE.

STATIONS.

W. Bound, Read Up. E. Bound, Read Down.

Freight, No. 103, Daily. Passenger, No. 104, Daily.

12:00 p.m. Winnipeg 11:30 a.m. 5:30 a.m.

1:00 p.m. Portage la Prairie 12:30 p.m. 6:30 a.m.

2:00 p.m. Brandon 1:30 p.m. 7:30 a.m.

3:00 p.m. Winnipeg 2:30 p.m. 8:30 a.m.

4:00 p.m. Portage la Prairie 3:30 p.m. 9:30 a.m.

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For Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Sore Throat, etc.

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Barometer (Barometer).

Reading of the thermometer for the week ending Tuesday, Dec. 8, 1896.

	Maximum	Minimum
Wednesday, Dec. 2	7	-29
Thursday, Dec. 3	12	-7
Friday, Dec. 4	6	0
Saturday, Dec. 5	17	-4
Sunday, Dec. 6	22	-10
Monday, Dec. 7	29	7
Tuesday, Dec. 8	41	12

WIND DIRECTION AND VELOCITY.

	6 A.M.	1 P.M.	6 P.M.
Wednesday	SE 4	SE 6	SE 4
Thursday	SE 12	SE 20	SE 1
Friday	SE 6	SE 12	SE 20
Saturday	SE 12	SE 10	SE 10
Sunday	SE 4	SE 6	SE 3
Monday	SE 6	SE 8	SE 10
Tuesday	SE 8	SE 20	SE 26

Local and General

—Mr. A. Bell, of Whitewood, is registered at the Queen's.

—Mr. B. S. Ross left on Tuesday evening for Chatham, Ont.

—Mr. J. Fisher, of the Queen's, went to Regina on Tuesday.

—The scarlet fever cases at Fort Qu'Appelle are reported as convalescent.

—Miss Annie McMorris left on Tuesday evening to visit friends in the east.

—Dr. Siz, Dentist, Regina, will be at the Leland, Qu'Appelle, on December 14 and 15.

—The Indian Head Quadrille club will hold their dance on Tuesday evening, 15th inst.

—Mrs. C. Babbitt, who has been seriously ill for some time past, is, we are pleased to say, improving.

—About three weeks ago a gentleman left a pair of gauntlets in this office. He may have same by calling at any time.

—Mrs. James McNaughton received word of the illness of her mother, in Galt, Ont., and will leave for her old home on Tuesday.

—Mr. Robt. Scott, of Touchwood, is shipping two carloads of dressed beef to the Kootenay country this week, consigned to Mr. W. H. Bell.

—Married, on Tuesday, 3rd inst., at the residence of Mr. John Wray, by the Rev. Alex. Robson, Mr. A. Curry, to Miss Elizabeth Wray, all of Indian Head.

—A meeting of the Heather Curling club will be held this evening at the Leland hotel, for the purpose of electing officers and ships for the ensuing year.

—While taking down a shotgun last Saturday from the rafters, John Conn of Saskatoon, shot himself through the right hand, which had to be amputated.

—We beg to call attention to the advertisement of Mr. J. D. Little in another column, who is agent for the Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land company, and appraiser for the North of Scotland Loan and Mortgage company.

—Mr. H. Foster, brother of Hon. Geo. E. Foster, while descending the stairs of the Brunswick hotel, Moncton, N.B., slipped and fell, fracturing his skull. He died five hours afterwards in the presence of his family.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Boyce and two children, left on Sunday night for England, accompanied by Miss Davis of Regina, Mr. Wess of Qu'Appelle, and Mr. Wilson of the Experimental farm, Indian Head, were also passengers on the same train for the Old Country.

—A letter from Mr. G. D. McKay, of Cardiff, Wales, formerly a resident of this district expresses pleasure at hearing the crops have been good this year, and hopes we may have seasons of unbounded prosperity. He looks back with pleasure to years spent here and desires to be remembered to all old friends.

—Waghorn's Guide for Dec. contains the latest official changes of travel, including the new Northern Pacific time card and the Dauphin railway service, ocean steamers, changes in mail service, new post offices, county court sittings for 1897, new municipalities, revised list of bankers' calendar and festival days for 1897, weather record, etc. With this issue the Guide

A Chance to Make Money.

I have made \$1,640 clear money in 87 days and attended to my household duties besides, and I think this is doing splendidly. Any one can sell what everyone wants to buy, and every family wants a Dish Washer. I don't canvass at all; people come or send for the washer, and every washer that goes out sells two or three more, as they do the work to perfection. You can wash and dry the dishes in two minutes. I am going to devote my whole time to this business now, and I am sure that I can clear \$5,000 a year. My sister and brother have started in the business and are doing splendidly. You can get complete instructions and hundreds of testimonials by addressing the Iron City Dish Washer Co., Station A, P. O. Box 10, and if you don't make lots of money it's your own fault.

Mrs. W. H.

completes its thirteenth year of publication. It has long made its reputation and its success has naturally led to imitations which only serve to endorse the merits of the original for the noted care with which its information is compiled, its official and reliable nature being its distinguishing features.

—C. Babbitt is offering 25 per cent discount on all purchases for the next few days. Now is your time to get a clock, watch, chain, chain, cuff buttons, links or ladies' brooches—and get them right. Ladies' gold watch for sale at half price.

Mr. C. Donnelly, wholesale liquor dealer, Alton, Ont., was troubled for years with itching piles. He was persuaded by Jas. McGarvey, Alton, Ont., to use Chase's Ointment, which he did, and was cured. He has had no return of them and highly recommends this ointment as a sovereign cure for piles.

—The December issue of Stovel's Pocket Directory contains a large number of changes in the useful information to be found within its covers, prominent among these being the change in time cards on the Northern Pacific and Great Northern railways, postal information and steamship sailings. A complete list of the sittings of county courts for 1897 is given, also hockey fixtures, curling clubs, etc.

—Thomas Hourie of Prince Albert, has filed a claim against the Government for \$3,000 on account of the reward offered for the capture of Riel in 1885. The fact that the rebellion claims were settled by a commission may interfere with Hourie obtaining payment, but he declares that for some reason he was unable to present his claim to the commission.—Saskatchewan Herald.

—A great many coyotes and foxes are being killed this year, says the Saskatchewan Herald. The snow being soft and deep they sink over their backs every jump they take, and are easily run down and killed with sticks, either by men on horseback or on foot. A freighter, on his trip from Saskatoon, killed three wolves, four foxes and a badger; and last week an Indian clubbed to death four wolves and three foxes on his way in from Pitt.

—On Saturday evening last Prof. McKanlas entertained a small but select audience to a rare musical treat in the town hall. The program consisted of violin and piano solos, negro melodies, bone solo and dancing, winding up with a humorous sketch. The Prof. is possessed of a rich and powerful baritone voice, and his singing and musical laugh carry one back to the Sunny South, to the days "before de war." His banjo and violin playing was far above the average. Prof. McKanlas has been connected with some of the best musical organizations in America, one of which was the original Fisk Jubilee Singers with whom he visited Europe. Should he visit Qu'Appelle again we can predict for him a bumper house.

—On Monday evening the ladies of Knox church held an old-fashioned tea-meeting in the town hall, at which a goodly number attended and enjoyed themselves. The ladies of Qu'Appelle are noted for getting up a good supper nor was this any exception. The way the good things disappeared bore testimony to the appreciation of the ladies' efforts to please in this

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DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

How the Dipper Saved the Farm.

Father was sick and the mortgage on the farm was coming due. I saw in the Christian Advocate where Miss A. M. Fritz of Station A, St. Louis, Mo., would send a sample combination dipper for 18 two-cent stamps, and I ordered one. I saw the dipper could be used as a fruit jar filler, a plain dipper, a fine strainer, a funnel, a strainer-funnel, a sick room warming pan and a pint measure. These eight different uses makes the dipper such a necessary article that I went to work with it and I sell at very near every house, and in four months I paid off the mortgage. I think I can clear as much as \$200 a month. If you need work you can do well by giving this a trial. Miss A. M. Fritz, Station A, St. Louis, Mo., will send you a sample for 18 two-cent stamps—write at once.

JOHN G. N.

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